

# MANNINGTON NEWS

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## LONG SCRIMMAGE HELD YESTERDAY

Thirty Candidates Participate in Workout--New Candidates Developing.

MANNINGTON, Sept. 22.—The longest scrimmage of the present football season was held last evening at Blackshore Park with thirty candidates participating in the workout.

Passing, kicking, falling on ball, charging, and blocking took up the first hour of the practice, and scrimmage the second hour. Coach Blake spent considerable time between most of the plays showing the errors and correcting faults. Many of the candidates are first year men, and are consequently not very well acquainted with the game.

On the first team Ryan, Gump, Prichard, Magee, and Garner showed to the best advantage in advancing the ball, while C. Rymer and G. Rymer showed the best form in the defense.

On the second eleven G. Beall, Barker, Huey, Flanagan, and Mercer showed the most fight, and unless improvement is shown by some of the members of the so-called first string it would not be at all surprising to see more than one of these men displace some of the more experienced men.

G. Beall has been outless than a week, and he looks like a corner. He has the weight, speed, and fight that goes to make a football player, and above all seems able to grasp what is being explained to him. The last is a thing that it is claimed a number of the other candidates are unable to do.

Hart and Jones did not participate in the scrimmage last evening due to minor ailments, and Shine and Phillips were withheld from taking part in the rough work because of sprains.

While two teams have been running signals and scrimmaging, no definite choice of the first team has been made as yet, and probably will not be made before the first game which will be with Shinnston next Friday. Every man out has a chance, and those who show the best form will be the ones picked for varsity berths.

This year's team will be the lightest one put out by the local school for a number of years, but the men will have speed and fight to offset their lack of weight.

The games this year will again be played at Blackshore Park, due to the bad condition of Hough's Park. Then, too, there is more room at Blackshore for the parking of cars and for crowds when the weather is inclement. An attempt will be made to have special street car service for all games here, insuring the spectators of good transportation facilities.

The schedule this year includes six home games. They are with Fairmont, Victory, Bellington, Elkins, Follansbee and Moundsville.

## BINGAMON

Mrs. Glenn Sturm and children, Junior and Robert, of Waynesburg, Pa., visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Ee have moved to Mannington. The former will teach in the high school at Metz.

Garrett Sharp, Charles Sturm, Earl Glover and Howard Sturm were business visitors in Enterprise Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Tetrick returned Wednesday from Mexico, Tex., where the former had been employed for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ashcraft of Peoria were the guests of Chas. Sturm Saturday evening.

Forty-seven scholars were present for the opening of the Robinson School Monday. Miss Margaret Menear is the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sturm of Annabelle visited at the home of Russell Holbert Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Connor and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stackpole, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Tetrick, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sturm and children, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Tetrick, Mrs. Alfie Cunningham, Mrs. Anna Garten, Gladys Edith Kellar, Olive Fort, Lucy Tetrick, Jasper Cunningham, Ebert Tate and Arthur Stackpole, attended a Sunday school picnic held at Long Run last Sunday.

J. J. Spencer and family of West Virginia visited here recently. Miss Edith Kellar is a student at West Monongah High School this term.

Mrs. Henry Hess of Annabelle was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

Miss Ira Vincent has enrolled in Wyatt High School for the winter term.

The Bingham home-coming will be held here Sunday.

Harold Kellar is a student at the Fairmont State Normal School this year.

Mrs. Charles Criss and Miss Arlene Sunday visited at the home of A. L. Fortney Wednesday.

Dr. R. B. Nutter of Enterprise was a professional caller here Wednesday.

## Pithy Paragraphs From Mannington

The old-fashioned girl used to keep a diary—but it wouldn't do in this age.

If monkey glands are so successful in the human machine, why wouldn't it be a good idea to graft a monkey wrench into some part of a flivver's anatomy?

The most heart-breaking sight in the world is a two headed cat in a bird show.

An undertaker is a man who follows the medical profession.

There aren't many sorority pins worn this year.

There's nothing to pin them on.

"Who's that good-looking young fellow?" asked a girl at football practice the other day.

"That's Coach Jerry Blake," answered her partner.

"Oh, my! I thought that a coach had four wheels."

Many a hen-pecked man likes his stenographer merely because he can dictate to her.

And still a drunk or two will parade up and down Market street.

## Mannington Society

W. C. T. U. Meets

The local Woman's Christian Temperance Union held its last meeting for the year in the parlors of the M. E. Church yesterday. The entire meeting was given over to the discussion of business, and delegates and alternates were elected for the state convention at Buckhannon October 3 to 5.

The delegates were Mrs. Albert C. B. Mocker, Mrs. Ella Jenks, Mrs. A. J. Sturm, Mrs. Effie Jones and Mrs. M. E. Arnett. The alternates were Mrs. Charles Drake, Mrs. P. H. Brumage, Mrs. R. B. Howard, Mrs. George Baker, and Mrs. Hamill.

It was decided to have the regular meetings next year at the home of the president, Mrs. Mocker, 120 Dancer avenue, on the third Thursday of each month. The sessions will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon. The mother's meetings will be at the home of some member on the first Tuesday in each month, in charge of Mrs. P. H. Brumage, superintendent of mothers' meetings. These sessions will open at 7:30 in the evening.

**Birthday Club Entertainers.** Mrs. Anna Morgan has hosted to the Ladies' Birthday Club, or the "Girls of Sixty," at a delightful 1 o'clock luncheon yesterday in her home in Furbee avenue. The large dining room was beautifully decorated with vases of autumn flowers, a large bouquet forming the centerpiece on each table and on the mantels. Covers were laid for sixteen. Mrs. Morgan was assisted in serving by Mrs. O. D. Nutter and Mrs. Harry Clark.

The club members present were Mrs. Margaret Beatty, Mrs. Claud Koen, Mrs. Mattie Koen, Mrs. Sallie Rogers, Mrs. Soph. Stewart, Mrs. Sallie Furbee, Mrs. Ella Jenks, Miss Marie Burt, Mrs. Mary Coleman, Mrs. McGire, and the hostess, Mrs. Anna Morgan. The invited guests were Mrs. Frank Furbee, Mrs. Walter Furbee, Mrs. J. B. Dodge, Mrs. Mary Hough, and Mrs. Dora Hardesty. This club was organized eight years ago by more than a score of local ladies, and meets once each year on the birthday of each member in the order of their dates. The friendly sentiment and beautiful purpose of the club has endeared it to every member, it is claimed, and makes the organization stand out from all others in Mannington.

## RYMER

M. E. Church Program

The Rev. L. Chapman will preach Sunday morning at 9:45, following Sunday school at 9 o'clock. This will be his last service before conference. The change in time is made in order that those who desire may attend the Snodgrass reunion near Brink.

**Eleven in High School.** The Rymer High School is beginning nicely. It is said, eleven pupils already being enrolled. It is believed that a few more will enroll later on.

The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cunningham who has been critically ill is now improving.

Mrs. Willie Kendall and daughter Helen were guests of Mrs. Ella Floyd recently.

Gay Floyd has returned to his home in Georgetown after a brief visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Cunningham were guests at the home of Fielden Snider near Curtisville Sunday.

The Misses Grace, Olive, and Ruby Arnett were visiting at the home of A. L. Lamons Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Gump was visiting her brother, H. F. Williams, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sharp were visiting at the home of Mrs. Franklin Kennedy and Mrs. Edward Murphy Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hamilton attended the funeral of Mrs. Bertha Boyles Kuhn at Seven Pines Sunday.

## EVENING LEADER RUNNING AGAIN

Local Newspaper Started by James F. Hovey—First Issue Thursday.

MANNINGTON, Sept. 22.—The first issue of the Evening Leader, published by James F. Hovey in Mannington, was distributed in the city last evening, following a week of organization and preparation at the plant.

The first issue was a four-page, seven-column paper, and despite the fact that the force of employees is still much smaller than is needed to operate a plant the size of the Evening Leader, it presented a favorable appearance.

The new paper will be published daily except Sunday, and is being distributed in the city by R. J. Clarkson and Snodgrass and Moore. The price is 3 cents per copy, counter sales.

It is planned to make the paper contain eight pages later, it is said, as soon as additional help is secured. It is probable that the pony wire service of the Associated Press will be installed later, also.

A heavy drive for advertising is being made by Miss Marian Shaw, the advertising manager, who also is soliciting agent for job printing.

Ben Atherton, formerly manager of the Crown Printing Co., is another local employee. Just at this time he has charge of the composing room, it is said.

## HUNDRED

New High School

The new high school building is nearing completion, and it is believed that the teachers and pupils will be able to move in before another month.

School has been in progress ten days now, and everything indicates that this will be one of the most successful years. More than 150 pupils are enrolled in the different departments.

An effort is being made to build a football team which will represent Hundred on the field this year, and the present prospects are very promising, it is claimed.

**Store Robbed**

Charles Windle's store was broken into and robbed Monday night, but although continued efforts have been made to apprehend the guilty persons no arrests have as yet been made.

**New Warehouse**

The new warehouse being built by the Hundred Milling Co. is nearly completed, and large shipments of feed for the winter stock is being shipped, it was stated yesterday.

**Injured by Piano** While moving a piano in his home here, George Kinney was seriously injured when the instrument overturned, crushing him badly. Mr. Kinney has so far recovered that he is able to be out again, however.

**Wiring Inspected** State fire deputies were here yesterday looking over the fire prevention system in the city, and especially the school buildings.

The Littleton Co., is in charge of the wiring in Hundred, and is putting in an up-to-date telephone system. The company has erected a new building here which will be used as a central office. It is located on a lot next to the hospital building.

**Buys Old Homestead** J. F. Rex has purchased the old Kinney homestead in Hundred, and will move his family into it as soon as the house is vacated by the present owner.

**Will Have Pastor**

The new Christian parsonage is almost completed, and will be occupied immediately by the Rev. R. Plum of East Liverpool, Ohio, who will take the pastorate here.

The members of the Christian Church will warmly welcome the new minister, since the church has been without a regular pastor for more than a year.

**Personals**

The Methodist minister will leave soon to attend the annual conference.

Mrs. Eddy, a returned missionary from India, spoke at the M. E. Church Sunday morning.

Weldon Spitznogle left Wednesday night for Louisville, Ky., where he is attending a school of dentistry.

T. D. Lamb, superintendent of schools, spent Wednesday in Wheeling on business.

The Rev. Russell Price of Sistersville has raised and remodeled his home here and moved in Monday.

**BOYS JAILED**

MANNINGTON, Sept. 22.—Two boys who refused to obey the request of Policeman Elaw last night to observe the curfew law, which says that children below a certain age must not be out on the streets alone after 9 o'clock, were taken to the city jail and kept there until 11:30 before being released. The boys were told to appear before Mayor J. M. Barrack today, and he gave them a lecture on the observance of law.

It is claimed that when the policeman asked the boys to go home or at least get off the streets, they refused and "talked back."

## Mannington Personals

Charles M. Fry of Cameron is here for a few days visit. He was formerly a Mannington resident.

Gerald Elliott and Clark M. Furbee left yesterday for Barboursville where they will remain while students at Marshall College.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Tetrick have returned from Mexico, Texas, where they were located in the oil fields, and will remain here for several months at least.

Dr. W. J. Kyle, eye specialist of Clarksburg, was a business visitor here for the week.

Paul R. Stewart has entered V. U. at Morgantown for the coming term.

John Barrack of Clarksburg is here for a few days visit with wife.

M. B. Elaw returned to King's Run yesterday after a visit here. W. D. Eschenbaugh has gone to Finleyville, Pa., where he has oil wells now drilling.

H. A. Sybert is a business visitor at Charleston.

T. S. Hardesty was a business visitor at Clarksburg yesterday.

T. J. Rex has gone to Pittsburgh on a business visit.

Miss Georgia Murphy of Salt Lick was a visitor in Mannington Wednesday evening.

Bud Longstreth has accepted a position in the restaurant of the Arlington Hotel at waiter.

Samuel Leggett, manager of the branch Supply house in Waynesburg, Pa., of the Prichard Oil Well Supply Co., has returned to that city after a business visit in Mannington.

E. D. Deland of Pittsburgh is in Mannington today attending business matters and visiting friends.

L. A. Hovey of Wheeling was in the city yesterday.

Franklin Fleming of Fairmont was visiting friends in Mannington yesterday.

Lorn Hildreth and Russell Parbee of this city attended the dance held by the Elks lodge in their club rooms in Fairmont last evening.

G. H. Farnsworth, representing the Black Diamond Ice Cream Co. of Fairmont, was a business visitor in the city yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Snodgrass and son Edwin were visitors in Fairmont yesterday.

"Red" Dean of Fairmont, well known in this city, was visiting friends here Wednesday evening.

Charles Martin of Mannington was in Fairmont yesterday.

Everett Jones of Farmington was in the city last evening, the guest of friends.

Morris Gallagher was visiting friends and attending to business matters in Fairmont yesterday at term.

Edward Bowers of Moundsville is a business visitor in the city today.

Kenneth Phillips of Mannington motored to Fairmont for a visit with friends Wednesday evening.

Dick Miller, president of the county court, and son Forest, of Mads Run were in Mannington last evening on business.

Everett Harton and Vernon S. Stagers of this city motored to Fairmont to visit friends last evening. They were accompanied home by Thomas Phillips and W. J. Harton, both of Fairmont.

Everett Beatty motored to Fairmont last evening.

John Barrack, formerly of Mannington, who now lives in Clarksburg, is in the city. Barrack, an all around athlete, was a star pitcher on Mannington's High School team here two years ago. He is a candidate for the gridiron eleven of the Washington State High School in Clarksburg this season.

E. Orval Murray is in Detroit, Mich., on a short business trip.

W. E. Crouse has returned from a business trip to Pittsburgh and other points east.

Mrs. E. W. Congleton has returned from Pittsburgh where she accompanied her daughter Margaret who is returning to school in Ithaca, N. Y.

V. K. Smith of Wheeling was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

Thurman Hibbs was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. Alice Snodgrass was a business visitor in Fairmont yesterday.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Bedow were visiting in Farmington last night.

C. Ed Snodgrass was in Fairmont yesterday, purchasing fall and winter stock.

**PRACTICE OF BEAN SHOOTING OPPOSED**

MANNINGTON, Sept. 22.—The use of small slingshots or bean shooters, a sport which has been popular with nearly every boy in town for weeks, was declared a nuisance by the mayor and chief of police this morning, and an effort will be made to break up the custom of using these instruments.

Chief Masters said this morning that the boys have been using slingshots, stones, and other hard substances in the sling shots, and asked that the people be warned against them.

He added that the parents of boys using these bean shooters on the streets will be held accountable, and if the boys are caught, the parents will be fined for permitting the nuisance.

The practice has become so general it was said, that there is danger of some injury to eyes through the carelessness of the boys.

## MARKET RALLIES DESPITE REACTION

All Offerings Readily Absorbed After Early Forced Selling Today.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Failure of bullish movement to create support created forward movement resulting in an upward shoot of some shares in today's stock market. The near eastern development was a factor. Declines were largely resultant from inside reasons and trading was of a professional character. Prices started upward in the final hour when the selling movement seemed to have spent itself. Sales approximated 1,100,000 shares.

Completion of the early forced selling, which failed to uncover any acute weakness, caused extensive short covering in the later dealings. Speculative belief that the reaction had gone far enough was indicated by the ready absorption of all offerings. Buoyancy of the Standard Oil shares and renewed accumulation of Gulf States Steel were contributing causes to the rally. Trading slackened somewhat when the renewal rate for call loans was fixed at 5 per cent, the highest since June 28. Standard Oil of New Jersey extended its gain to 4 points and Gulf States Steel to 3. Other oil, equipments, motors, coppers and high grade industrials also participated in the advance.

Bullish demonstrations in stock resulted in a brisk rally in the final hour. The closing was firm.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

Allied Chemical and Dye	83
Allis-Chalmers	56
American Beet Sugar	54 1/2
American Can	59 1/2
American Car and Foundry	136 1/2
American Hide and Leather	70 1/2
American International Corp.	35
American Locomotive	123
American Smelting and Refg.	61 1/2
American Sugar	29 1/2
American Sumatra Tobacco	70 1/2
American T. and P.	121 1/2
American Tobacco	160 1/2
American Woolen	99 1/2
Anaconda Copper	53
Atchafalca	104 1/2
Atl. Gulf and W. Indies	30
Baldwin Locomotive	133 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	53 1/2
Bethlehem Steel "B"	76
Canadian Pacific	144 1/2
Central Leather	41 1/2
Chandler Motors	60 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	73 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Pac.	32 1/2
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	45 1/2
Chino Copper	33 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron	33 1/2
Corn Products	114 1/2
Crucible Steel	88 1/2
Erle	15 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky	97
General Asphalt	63
General Electric	178
General Motors	143 1/2
Goodrich Co.	33 1/2
Great Northern pfd.	99 1/2
Illinois Central	112 1/2
Inspiration Copper	39 1/2
International Harvester	111 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	53 1/2
International Paper	57 1/2
Invisible Oil	154 1/2
Kelly-Springfield Tire	43
Kennecott Copper	35 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	136
Mexican Petroleum	186 1/2
Miami Copper	28 1/2
Middle States Oil	13 1/2
Midvale Steel	34 1/2
Missouri Pacific	22
New York Central	97 1/2
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	31
Norfolk & Western	119
Northern Pacific	85 1/2
Okl. Prod. & Ref.	2 1/2
Pacific Oil	56 1/2
Pan Amer. Petroleum	79 1/2
Pennsylvania	48 1/2
People's Gas	95
Pure Oil	31 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper	15 1/2
Reading	78
Rep. Iron & Steel	66 1/2
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	89
Sears Roebuck	89
Sinclair Con. Oil	33 1/2
Southern Pacific	94 1/2
Southern Railway	25 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	195 1/2
Studebaker Corp.	126 1/2
Tennessee Copper	10
Texas Co.	47 1/2
Texas & Pacific	29 1/2
Tobacco Products	86
Transcontinental Oil	13 1/2
Union Pacific	149 1/2
United Retail Stores	87 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	64 1/2
United States Rubber	50 1/2
United States Steel	103 1/2
Utah Copper	67 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	62 1/2
Willis Overland	6 1/2
C. & N. W.	91 1/2
Maxwell	18 1/2

Chicago Grain.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Wheat went up with a rush today as the market opened. Grave developments at the Dardanelles were reported, and dispatches were at hand saying Great Britain's demand for grain in the United States would be very large. Besides, Liverpool quotations were up and prices at Winnipeg showed a big jump. Initial prices, which ranged from 1 cent to \$1.12 1/4, were followed by moderate further

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gains and then something of a reaction. Corn and oats rose with wheat. After opening 1 1/2 to 7-8 higher, December \$5.97 1/2 to \$6.01 1/2 the corn market scored an additional upturn.

Oats started 1 1/4 to 4-8 to 3-4 higher; December \$7.37 1/2 to 5-8 and later, hardened a little more. Higher quotations on hogs helped to give a lift to provisions.

**Pittsburgh Livestock**  
PITTSBURGH, Sept. 22.—Hogs receipts 3,500; higher; heavies \$10.10 to \$10.25; heavy Yorkers and light Yorkers \$10.65 to \$10.75; pigs \$10.25 to \$10.40. Sheep and